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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: PLOS, BB

SUBJ: LAW OF THE SEA: BARBADOS TO DECLARE 200-MILE FISHING ZONE

REF: BRIDGETOWN 0884 (NOTAL)

1. ACTING HEAD OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS HAS TOLD EMBASSY THAT GOB PLANS
TO DECLARE A 200-MILE FISHING ZONE AROUND THE ISLAND, IN
ADDITION TO EXTENDING ITS TERRITORIAL LIMITS FROM THREE TO
12 MILES (REFTEL). MINISTRY OFFICER WAS QUERIED AFTER LOCAL
NEWSPAPER REPORT QUOTED MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE LINDSAY
BOLDEN AS HAVING SAID BARBADOS WOULD DECLARE A 200-MILE
TERRITORIAL LIMIT. THIS REPORT THE OFFICER LABELED A MIS-
UNDERSTANDING.

2. BOLDEN WAS ALSO QUOTED AS SAYING BARBADOS WILL HAVE TO
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ACCOMMODATE THE INTERESTS OF TERRITORIES TO THE WEST (ST.
LUCIA, ST. VINCENT, ETC.) THAT LIE WITHIN THE PROPOSED ZONE.

3. IN A RECENT CONVERSATION, THE COMMANDER OF THE
BARBADIAN COAST GUARD TOLD AN EMBOFF THAT HE DIDN'T
HAVE EQUIPMENT OR PERSONNEL TO MEET HIS CURRENT PATROL
RESPONSIBILITIES, MUCH LESS CONSIDER ANY EFFECTIVE

POLICING OF AN EXTENDED ZONE OR LIMIT.
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